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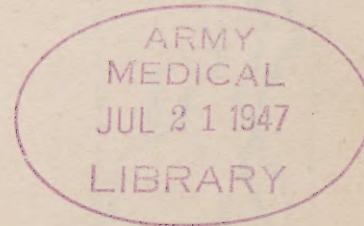
SHORE STATIONS IN CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES



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WEEK ENDING 3 August 1946

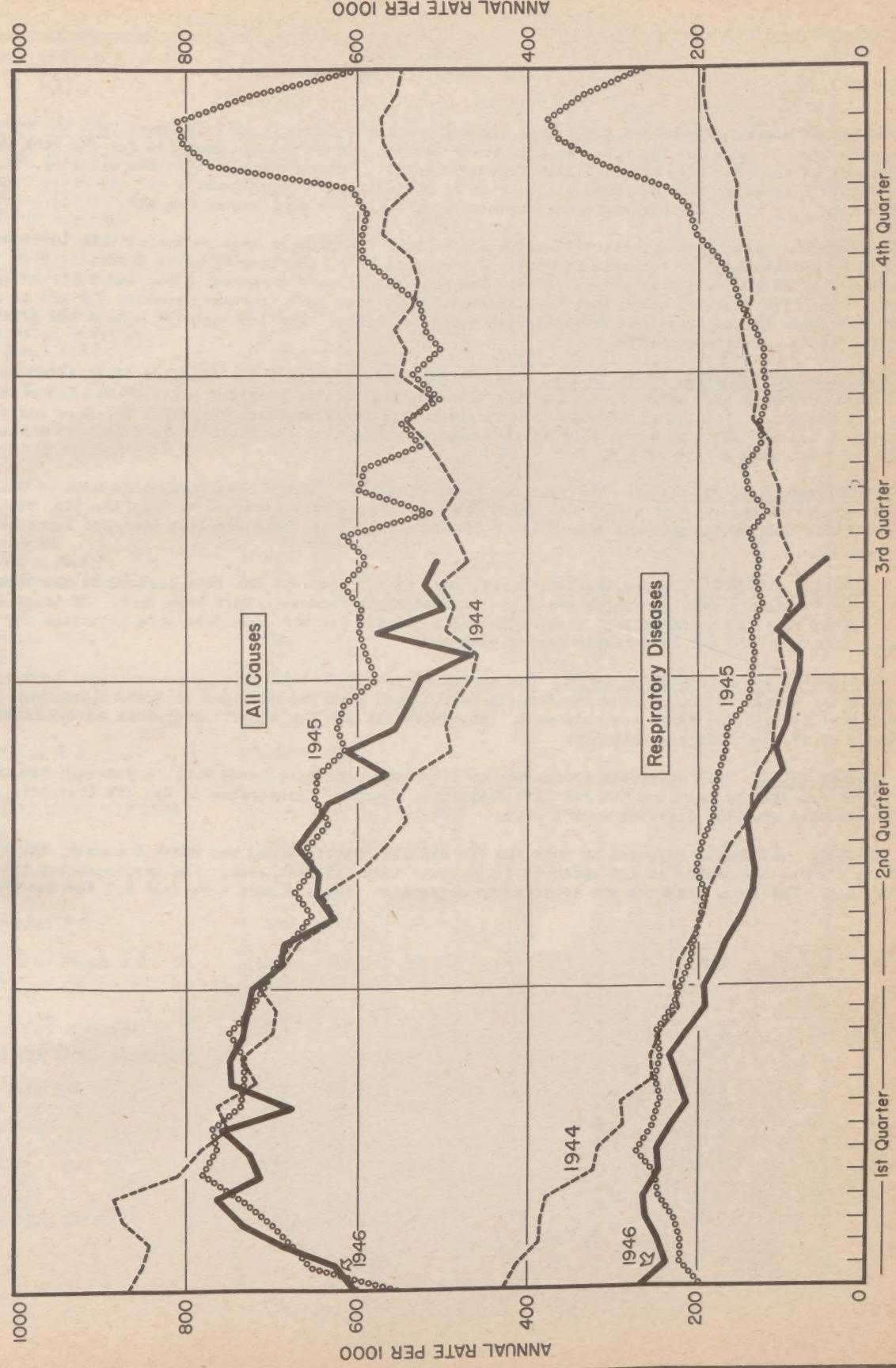
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ADMISSION RATES—ALL CAUSES AND RESPIRATORY DISEASES

CONTINENTAL LIMITS OF THE UNITED STATES—1944, 1945, 1946



CURRENT TRENDS
Week Ending 3 August 1946

The annual admission rate for All Causes was 508 per 1,000 strength or 2.7% lower than the comparable rate a week ago. A year ago the rate for All Causes was 588. The decrease reported for the week was offset by increases in the 4th, 8th, 11th and 12th Districts and the River Commands. The 6th District, though decreasing 7% this week, remained high with a rate of 656 while the 12th District and the River Commands were low with a rate of 392. Six Districts have weekly rates below the continental average.

The combined rate for Respiratory Diseases which began to increase last week continued the trend this week with an additional 7.7% increase to 86.3. The current rate, however, compares favorably with the comparable rate of a year ago which was 128.2. The most significant increase, 137%, was reported by the 4th District. The 11th District which last week increased 63%, this week increased another 22% and is now second high among the continental Districts with a rate of 129.3. The 3rd District showed the greatest improvement with a decrease of 39%.

INFLUENZA AND CATARRHAL FEVER, ACUTE. The combined rate for these two diseases is still on the upgrade with a weekly rate of 48.3 which is 9.3% higher than the rate of the previous week, 44.2. The rate reported a year ago was 86.8. Six Districts showed an increase this week; however, the total increase was contributed to mainly by the 4th District whose rate spurted upwards 526%. The 6th District is high with a rate of 96.5, and the 13th low with a rate of 5.9.

PNEUMONIA-BRONCHO AND LOBAR. The rate for these diseases remained stationary this week at 0.6 which remains well below the rate of a year ago which was 1.3. Cases were reported by only the 5th, 6th, 11th and 13th Districts and the Potomac and Severn River Commands. Of these only the 11th District reported incidence last week.

PNEUMONIA, ATYPICAL. Increasing 130.4% this week to 5.3 the rate for this disease is now more than twice higher than the rate a year ago which was 2.3. Six Districts reported cases this week. Of these the 1st and 3rd Districts reported no cases last week. The rates for the 5th and 11th Districts accounted for the total increase by being 323% and 119% higher than a week ago.

TONSILLITIS AND PHARYNGITIS, ACUTE. The admission rate for these infections continued to drop this week and currently stands at 32.0, a new low for the year. Last week the rate was 32.9 and a year ago 38.4. Seven Districts reported decreases this week, but contrarily the 1st and 4th Districts showed marked increases of 84% and 108% respectively.

SCARLET FEVER. This diagnosis increased 20% this week, the rate being 0.6. A year ago the rate was 1.9. Cases were reported by only the 5th and 11th Districts; however, those cases in the 5th Districts represented a 229% increase over the previous week's rate.

MEASLES. With cases reported by only the 5th and 8th Districts and the River Commands, the current rate for this disease now stands at 1.0 which is 33.3% lower than for last week. The corresponding rate a year ago was 1.5. The River Commands who reported no cases last week now have a rate of 1.2 for the disease.

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NAVAL DISTRICTS AND SHORE STATIONS

(Annual Admission Rates Per 1000 Strength)

NAVAL DISTRICT AND STATION	TOTAL ALL CAUSES	RESPIRATORY DISEASES					SCAR- LET FEVER	MEASLES
		TOTAL	CAT. FEVER ACUTE	INFLU- ENZA	PNEUMONIA	TONSIL- LITIS & PHARYN- GITIS AC.		
BRON. AND LOBAR	ATYP- ICAL							
TOTAL ALL NAVAL DISTRICT	508	86.3	47.9	0.4	0.6	5.3	32.0	0.6
First Naval District	612	93.3	49.4	0	0	2.7	41.2	0
Third Naval District	564	44.6	26.8	0	0	2.2	15.6	0
Fourth Naval District	400	71.8	26.9	0	0	0	44.9	0
Potomac & Severn River Commands	392	32.4	12.0	0	1.2	1.2	18.0	0
Fifth Naval District	513	149.2	84.3	0	0.8	9.3	54.9	2.3
Sixth Naval District	656	117.9	93.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	16.1	0
Seventh Naval District	403	51.2	32.6	0	0	0	18.6	0
Eighth Naval District	534	52.5	29.3	0	0	0	23.2	1.5
Ninth Naval District	483	82.9	45.9	2.6	0	0	34.4	0
Eleventh Naval District	623	129.3	71.3	0	0.7	18.6	38.6	1.5
Twelfth Naval District	392	43.9	21.2	0	0	0	22.7	0
Thirteenth Naval District	409	29.4	5.9	0	2.9	0	20.6	0
TOTAL FIRST NAVAL DISTRICT	612	93.3	49.4			2.7	41.2	
NAS Brunswick Me #	384	48.0	48.0					
NavSta Portland Me			(No Admissions)					
DistHdqtrs Boston Mass	495							
USMPersSepCen Boston Mass	942	41.0					41.0	
NRS Boston Mass	634	192.9	165.3				27.6	
NavShipyds Boston Mass	986	65.7					65.7	
NH Chelsea Mass	311	77.8					77.8	
NAS Squantum Mass	545	181.8	90.9				90.9	
NavDiscBks Portsmouth N H	1175	267.1	106.8			26.7	133.5	
NTS Newport R I	575	77.7	46.6				31.1	
NAS Quonset Point R I	563	59.2	29.6				29.6	
Stations Under 500 Strength	351	41.2	20.6				20.6	
TOTAL THIRD NAVAL DISTRICT	564	44.6	26.8			2.2	15.6	
SubBase New London Conn	302	47.7	15.9					
NAS Brooklyn N Y	293						31.8	
ArmGrdCen Brooklyn N Y	128							
NRS Brooklyn N Y	966	58.6	43.9				14.6	
NavShipyd Brooklyn N Y	100	40.1	40.1					
USMPersSepCen Lido Beach N Y	1245	39.7	13.2				26.5	
DistHdqrs NYK	234	53.9	53.9					
NH St Albans N Y	224							
NH Sampson N Y #	768							
Stations Under 500 Strength	516	89.0	35.6			17.8	35.6	
TOTAL FOURTH NAVAL DISTRICT	400	71.8	26.9				44.9	
NAS Atlantic City N J	123	40.8					40.8	
NAS Lakehurst N J	372	111.7	74.5				37.2	
NavHosp Phila #	387	59.6					59.6	
NRS Phila	402	60.3					60.3	
NavShipyd Phila	410	64.7	43.2				21.6	
NAS Willow Grove	388	77.6					77.6	
Stations Under 500 Strength	659	104.0	69.3				34.7	

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		TOTAL	CAT. FEVER ACUTE	INFLU- ENZA	PNEUMONIA	TONSIL- LITIS & PHARYN- GITIS AC.		
BRON. AND LOBAR	ATYP- ICAL							
TOTAL POTOMAC RIVER COMMAND	322	32.1	11.2			1.4	19.5	
NAS Anacostia D C	358	79.5					79.5	
NavResLab Anacostia D C	481	53.5	53.5					
MarBks Washington D C	231	77.2				77.2		
NavDispNavDept Wash D C	254	9.9					9.9	
NavGunFac Washington D C	185							3.3
NRS Washington D C	415	89.0	29.7				59.3	
NH Bethesda Md	525							
NAS Patuxent River Md	351	56.2	42.2				14.1	
MarBks Quantico Va	357	22.3					22.3	
Stations Under 500 Strength	448	70.8	47.2				23.6	
TOTAL SEVERN RIVER COMMAND	827	34.8	17.4		8.7		8.7	
USNA Annapolis Md	842	35.8	17.9		9.0		9.0	
Stations Under 500 Strength	306							
TOTAL FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT	513	149.2	84.3		0.8	9.3	54.9	2.3
NH Bainbridge Md	905	100.6					100.6	
HCSch Bainbridge Md	602	100.4	100.4					100.4
USNPersSepCen Bainbridge Md	1425	47.5					47.5	
NTC Bainbridge Md	768	310.4	189.9		2.0	20.4	98.0	4.1
USMCAB Cherry Point N C	498	66.4	66.4					12.3
Camp Lejeune New River N C	25	25.5	25.5					
PhibTraBase Little Creek Va	431	25.3	25.3					
NAB Nor	341	69.3	34.7				34.7	
NRS Nor	248	80.3				7.3	73.0	
NavRe-TrainCom Nor	182	20.2	20.2					
NHCsch Portsmouth Va	447	223.5					223.5	
NorShipyd Portsmouth Va	126							
USNPersSepCen Shelton Va	1561	86.7	43.4			43.4		
USNA&DU Williamsburg Va	431	47.9					47.9	
Stations Under 500 Strength	267							
TOTAL SIXTH NAVAL DISTRICT	656	117.9	93.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	16.1	
NAS St Simons Island Ga	373	248.5	186.4				62.1	
NRS Charleston S C	808							
NavShipYd Charleston S C	317							
MarBks Parris Island S C	689	122.1	100.5		3.6	3.6	14.4	
Stations Under 500 Strength	533	160.0	106.7	26.7			26.7	
TOTAL SEVENTH NAVAL DISTRICT	403	51.2	32.6				18.6	
NAS Banana River Fla	323	58.7	29.4				29.4	
NAAS Cecil Field Fla	622	169.6	169.6					
NAS Ft Lauderdale Fla	541	124.9	83.3				41.6	
NavSta Green Cove Springs Fla	325							
NAS Jacksonville Fla	258	19.9	9.9				9.9	
NATTG Jacksonville Fla	218	62.3	41.5				20.8	
USNPersSepCen Jacksonville Fla	777							
SubBase Key West Fla	34							
NAS Miami Fla	852	85.2	51.1				34.1	
Stations Under 500 Strength	539	38.5					38.5	

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TOTAL EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT	534	52.5	29.3				23.2	
NATB Pensacola Fla	331	14.7	7.4				7.4	
DistHdqrs New Orleans La	248							
NAS New Orleans La	151							
NavRepBase New Orleans La	1583	117.2	117.2					
USNPerSepCen Norman Okla	512	64.0					64.0	
NAS Memphis Tenn	675	103.9					103.9	
NATTG Memphis Tenn	408	89.2	63.7				25.5	
USNPerSepCen Memphis Tenn	1630	81.5	81.5					
USNPerSepCen Cp Wallace Tex	1155	138.5	46.2				92.4	
NATTG Corpus Christi Tex	392	55.9					55.9	
NATB Corpus Christi Tex	373	31.6	19.0				12.7	
NAS Dallas Tex	691	153.6	153.6					
Stations Under 500 Strength	668	55.6	22.3				33.4	
TOTAL NINTH NAVAL DISTRICT	483	82.9	45.9	2.6			34.4	
NTSch NavPier Chicago Ill	824							
NAS Glenview Ill	505	56.1					56.1	
USMCPerSepCen Great Lakes Ill	1489	124.1	62.1				62.1	
NH Great Lakes Ill	252	50.3					50.3	
USNPerSepCen Great Lakes Ill	384	20.8	10.4				10.4	
NTC Great Lakes Ill	322	84.8	53.3				31.5	
PreFltSch NAS Ottumwa Iowa	754							
NAS Hutchinson Kans	610	130.7	43.6	87.1				
NAS Minneapolis Minn	583	194.3	129.5				64.8	
USNPerSepCen Minneapolis Minn	1342	201.3	67.1				134.2	
NAS St Louis Mo #####	1010	126.3					126.3	
BuSandA Cleveland Ohio	518	194.2	161.8				32.4	
Stations Under 500 Strength	563	46.9	31.3				15.6	
TOTAL ELEVENTH NAVAL DISTRICT	623	129.3	71.3		0.7	18.6	38.6	1.5
USMCDepSup Barstow Cal	574	229.6	229.6					
NH Corona Cal	470	67.1					67.1	
PhibTrBase Coronado Cal	656	117.1	23.4				93.7	
USMCAS El Toro Cal	513	41.1	20.5				20.5	
NOTS Inyokern Cal	564	62.7					62.7	
NH Long Beach Cal	344	206.3					137.6	
NAS Los Alamitos Cal	355							
USMCAS Miramar Cal	309							
MT&RC Oceanside Cal	432	45.5	34.1				11.4	
NT&DC Port Hueneme Cal	724	195.0					195.0	
DistDiso San Diego Cal	450	45.0					45.0	
USMCB San Diego Cal	1199	165.2	146.3				18.4	
NAS San Diego Cal	443	88.5	75.9				12.6	
NFSSch San Diego Cal	86	43.2	43.2					
NH San Diego Cal	597	162.8	162.8					

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11th ND--cont'd.								
NFB San Diego Cal	483	84.7	42.4			33.9	8.5	
NTC San Diego Cal	691	261.6	130.8			70.4	60.4	
NAAS San Ysidro Cal #	209	209.4	69.8				139.6	
NAS Santa Ana Cal	371	185.4	185.4					
NAS Terminal Island Cal	517							
NavDiscipBks Terminal Is Cal	428	61.2	61.2					
NavPerSepGen Terminal Is Cal	841	114.6					114.6	38.2
NRS Terminal Is Cal	756	85.9	44.5				44.5	
Roosevelt Base Terminal Is Cal	698	99.8	24.9				74.8	24.9
Stations Under 500 Strength	429	14.3					14.3	
TOTAL TWELFTH NAVAL DISTRICT	392	43.9	21.2				22.7	
NAB Alameda Cal	464	61.9	15.5				46.4	
NavLandForEquipDep Albany Cal	375	75.0	75.0					
NavShipyd Mare Is Cal	667							
NH Oakland Cal	356	44.4	44.4					
NSD Oakland Cal	295							
NavMag Port Chicago Cal #	487							
DistHdtrs San Fran	381	34.6	17.3				17.3	
NT&DC San Fran	347	38.6	21.1				17.5	
NT&DC Shoemaker Cal	729	97.2	97.2					
NavSupAnnex Stockton Cal #	38							
Stations Under 500 Strength	431	69.0	17.2				51.7	
TOTAL THIRTEENTH NAVAL DISTRICT	409	29.4	5.9		2.9		20.6	
NavSta Astoria Oreg	251							
NavShipyd Bremerton Wash	53	7.6					7.6	
NAS Seattle Wash	227	32.5	32.5					
NavSta Seattle Wash #	803	64.2					64.2	
NavSta Tacoma Wash	815							
NAS Whidbey Island Wash	1005							
Stations Under 500 Strength	601	66.8	16.7		16.7		33.4	

INCIDENCE OF RARE COMMUNICABLE DISEASES OF SPECIAL INTEREST

TOTAL JAUNDICE, ACUTE, INFECTIVE	4
NAD Dover N J	1
NAB Nor	1
USMCB San Diego Cal	1
Dist Hdqrs San Fran	1

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